

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 745 - SB 975

February 17, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes security guards who are employed on a part-time basis by a public institution of higher education, and who are valid handgun carry permit holders pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-17-1351, to possess a handgun while on property owned, operated, or controlled by a public institution of higher education provided certain requirements are met.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Part-time security guards who meet the requirements of the bill will be placed under similar policies and procedures used to authorize military and faculty members to possess handguns on campus pursuant to the Public Acts 2016, Public Chapter 1031.
- Any changes to such policies or procedures as a result of incorporating part-time security guards who possess a valid handgun carry permit can be accomplished without any significant increase in state or local expenditures.
- No significant change in the number of Class E felony convictions for carrying a weapon on school property pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-17-1309(b)(2); as a result no significant change in state incarceration costs.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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